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For LATERAL FLOW IMMUNOASSAY DEVICES FOR TESTING SALVIA  
AND OTHER LIQUID SAMPLES AND METHODS OF USE OF SAME

**Mail Stop Amendment**

**Commissioner for Patents**

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**RESPONSE IN REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF AUGUST 22, 2008**

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 22, 2008, Applicants respond as follows. The Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time, making this response due on or before February 22, 2008. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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